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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate Comm: RCS 04/09/2014 House

The Committee on Community Affairs (Stargel) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment

Delete lines 32 - 71

and insert:

(22) "Growler" means a clean container made of glass, ceramic, metal, or similar leak-proof material having a capacity of at least 32 ounces but no more than 128 ounces which, in response to an order in a face-to-face transaction for offpremises consumption, is filled with a malt beverage and sealed on the premises at or immediately before or after the time of

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Section 2. Section 561.221, Florida Statutes, is amended to 12 13 read:

561.221 Licensing of manufacturers and distributors as 15 vendors and of vendors as manufacturers; exceptions, conditions, 16 and limitations.-

17 (1) (a) Nothing contained in s. 561.22, s. 561.42, or any 18 other provision of the Beverage Law prohibits the ownership, 19 management, operation, or control of not more than three 20 vendor's licenses for the sale of alcoholic beverages by a 21 manufacturer of wine who is licensed and engaged in the 22 manufacture of wine in this state, even if such manufacturer is 23 also licensed as a distributor; provided that no such vendor's 24 license shall be owned, managed, operated, or controlled by any 25 licensed manufacturer of wine unless the licensed premises of 26 the vendor are situated on property contiguous to the 27 manufacturing premises of the licensed manufacturer of wine.

(b) The Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco shall issue permits to a certified Florida Farm Winery to conduct tasting and sales of wine produced by certified Florida Farm Wineries at Florida fairs, trade shows, expositions, and festivals. The certified Florida Farm Winery shall pay all entry fees and shall have a winery representative present during the event. The permit is limited to the length of the event.

(2) Notwithstanding s. 561.22, s. 561.42, or any other provision of the Beverage Law, the division is authorized to 37 issue vendor's licenses to a manufacturer of malt beverages, 38 even if such manufacturer is also licensed as a distributor, for the sale of alcoholic beverages on property consisting of a

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40 single complex, which property shall include a brewery and such 41 other structures which promote the brewery and the tourist 42 industry of the state. However, such property may be divided by 43 no more than one public street or highway. <u>A vendor's license</u> 44 issued under this subsection is subject to the following 45 restrictions: 46